



## **BEARFACTS 1997 – 2007**

### **Jay , Indiana [18075]**

Jay is one of 92 counties in Indiana. It is not part of a Metropolitan Area. Its 2007 population of 21,474 ranked 69th in the state.

#### **PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2007 Jay had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$26,070. This PCPI ranked 81st in the state and was 78 percent of the state average, \$33,215, and 68 percent of the national average, \$38,615. The 2007 PCPI reflected an increase of 4.9 percent from 2006. The 2006-2007 state change was 3.8 percent and the national change was 4.9 percent. In 1997 the PCPI of Jay was \$18,416 and ranked 85th in the state. The 1997-2007 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 3.5 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 3.6 percent and for the nation was 4.3 percent.

#### **TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2007 Jay had a total personal income (TPI) of \$559,836\*. This TPI ranked 71st in the state and accounted for 0.3 percent of the state total. In 1997 the TPI of Jay was \$400,043\* and ranked 70th in the state. The 2007 TPI reflected an increase of 5.2 percent from 2006. The 2006-2007 state change was 4.5 percent and the national change was 6.0 percent. The 1997-2007 average annual growth rate of TPI was 3.4 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.3 percent and for the nation was 5.4 percent.

#### **COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Jay. In 2007 net earnings accounted for 68.7 percent of TPI (compared with 66.8 in 1997); dividends, interest, and rent were 9.8 percent (compared with 14.8 in 1997); and personal current transfer receipts were 21.5 percent (compared with 18.4 in 1997). From 2006 to 2007 net earnings increased 6.4 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 4.6 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 1.8 percent. From 1997 to 2007 net earnings increased on average 3.7 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent decreased on average 0.8 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 5.1 percent.

#### **EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK**

Earnings of persons employed in Jay increased from \$348,440\* in 2006 to \$376,568\* in 2007, an increase of 8.1 percent. The 2006-2007 state change was 3.7 percent and the national change was 4.9 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1997 estimate of \$254,831\* to the 2007 estimate was 4.0 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.2 percent and for the nation was 5.4 percent.

*\*Note: All income estimates with the exception of PCPI are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.*

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